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## MEMORANDUM

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FROM:

Ed Kormondy

SUBJECT:

NSF's Restructuring Undergraduate Learning Environment (RULE) DTF

I sincerely hope there is a little blood left in the stone that Evergreen can squeeze, 'cause we need it. We stand in a very favorable position with a new NSF program to receive a sizable infusion of funds which can take us where we would like to be but may never get there (or not so quickly) given state funding patterns. To develop a program warranting NSF support will be no mean task not for dearth of ideas but for want of time.

Because of the importance of this potential to Evergreen's programs in science and social science, and because of the significance Evergreen can bring as a model of educational change in science and social science education (the whole purpose of the NSF RULE program), and because we will need to work on an abbreviated time schedule, I am asking you to serve on a task force to develop the ideas which can be incorporated in "our model" as a proposal to NSF.

The first meeting, during which I will outline more detail and suggested organization, is tomorrow (sorry about that), Wednesday, January 16 at 9 a.m. in the Board Room. I appreciate full well how short the notice, but we got the final message just yesterday! If you are unable to attend this session but would like to continue on the group, please let me know today.

EJK: jed

cc: President McCann Vice President Clabaugh KAOS

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